

# THE GLEICHEN GATE

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## NEWS FROM MILO AND DISTRICT

At the recent election of delegates to the Wheat Pool Victor Bertrand was re-elected.

Mr. A. W. Will, who now lives at Victoria, Vancouver Island, has come up for the harvest. His son Peter now rents the farm. Mr. Will says Victoria is a fine place to live in.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Laughran announces that their daughter, Nettie, will be married to Mr. William Eric Huskine on September 4th. The marriage will take place at the Laughran home in Majorville.

The combines made a tremendous hit out our way this year and conditions were ideal for straight combining, and while other years may not be quite so favorable it looks as though the combine has come to stay.

It now looks as if the entire harvest cutting, threshing and hauling to town, will be all finished by Sept 1st in most cases. The earliest finish up ever experienced in this district. The farmers will have a long rest and plenty of time to spend in California between now and spring providing they have the money.

The U. G. G. elevator at Milo, is being enlarged with a new addition. It seems a waste of good building material to enlarge any elevator this year at any point and from the looks of things the two pool elevators are the only busy ones. At first it was only intended to keep one pool elevator open but the rush to it was so great that the second one had to be opened up too. Wheat on summer-fallow, not hauled, appears to run from 14 to 18 bushels and on stubble from 5 to 10 bushels per acre.

DEDICATION SERVICE  
BAPTIST CHURCH  
MILo, SEPT. 15

Dedication services of the Milo Baptist church will be held in the new church building at Milo on Sunday, September 15. Dr. J. Willard Iitch, D.D., will have charge of the dedication service at 11 a.m. Dr. H. Bingham, B.A., D.D., of the First Baptist church, Calgary, will be the speaker at the evening service at 7:45. Following Dedication Sunday there will be special meetings held every night, except Saturday concluding on Sunday the 22nd. Dr. Bingham and Iitch will be the speakers. Everyone is heartily invited to attend these meetings.

Many of our absentee landowners have returned for their annual visit and to gather up what is coming to them from the crop. This year the pickings are rather slim as they find that not only were we dried out but hauled out on top of that. Tony Beegs arrived the day of the hail storm and found that his farm was haled again the second year in succession. Strange too, as during the previous twenty years he never had hail on his place. Mr. J. A. Aasgard came up from California to find his place haled 30 per cent. Mrs. J. McCabe came up from Vancouver, where she now lives, also to find that her land had been haled for the second year in succession.

FARMING UNDER SOCIALISM  
(By John Glambek)

In these days when we read so many conflicting reports in the daily press about conditions in Russia, about how the terrible Bolsheviks are trying to rule over the people and trying to spread their infamous red propaganda, to other countries it is refreshing to read a letter published in the Canadian farm paper, *The Furrow* from a young American, born in the State of Washington, but who is now working on one of the large Soviet farms. The letter runs as follows:

"Imagine 200,000 hectares (about 500,000 acres) in one almost square tract of land. Of this 170,000 acres were plowed last fall and 112,500 additional acres were sown with winter wheat and rye.

"On this farm some 300 tractors are in use with 400 more on their way from America. Also the other farm machinery to do the harvesting and seeding. Railroads will be built every three kilometers and telephones to all the fields for the tractor units. There are 25 tractors to each unit.

"We have a big tent for a club. Radio, moving pictures and other entertainments are provided for the crews. A portable bathroom, kitchen and living quarters are provided. There is a field machine shop con-

nected with an electric station to do night repairing.

"The working day is eight hours. Sufficient men are employed for two and in rush seasons three shifts per day. Later on we plan to reduce the shift after we get the farm in full working order. All the workers on the farm have housing and everything else free, including a month's vacation each year with pay.

"These farms are the largest in the world. Next year 36 of them will be operating in European Russia and Siberia. They will reduce the cost of raising wheat below that of any other country.

"The farm I am working on is getting 200 new Ford cars for all the foremen, besides other cars and motor trucks. All this scarcely seems real in a part of the country where one could hardly see a single automobile two years ago, but today there are hundreds of them and more being made and imported every month.

"The government is operating a number of air mail and passenger lines. The fare is only one third higher than on first class trains, and accidents are very rare."

An eight hour day that may soon be reduced to seven, a month's vacation with pay and the various other good things for the workers, mentioned in this letter, should look good to the average American and Canadian farm worker, particularly those who have improved farm machinery and are now throwing them in the scrap heap. It is no wonder the employing class wants the propaganda stopped.

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GLEICHEN, ALBERTA

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tion of two million, which is believed  
to be the largest in the world.

## THE GLEICHEN CALL

W. PARK EVANS, Proprietor

Published every Wednesday by the New  
Brunswick Government Bureau of  
Information and tourist travel show  
the latest news from the Province and  
the number of motor tourists from the  
United States entering Canada at various  
points and the number of tourists departing  
their vacation in Canada.

DISCARD BILLBOARDS

In response to letters sent out by  
Women's Clubs and other organizations,  
141 of the largest national adver-  
tisers have agreed that the use of  
billboards while driving the line  
should be abandoned. The same  
view has been expressed by 10 of the  
largest advertising agencies.

The result is that billboards which mar  
the scenic beauty along the nation-  
al highways, a source of noay for tourists  
and others, which does not make  
good will for the firms which in-  
dulge in them.

The result of most of the concerns  
consulted is fairly express in the  
advertising agency, which says:

"We have been asked to  
check any great, tangible results  
from outside billboard advertising.  
Accordingly we prefer newspapers  
and radio to see who the  
landscape should be marred by  
promotional advertising."

Another agency declares that  
nothing would offend more if all  
signs and billboard advertisements were  
abolished, as there are cer-  
tainly enough other forms of adver-  
tising available.

Many large advertisers have  
voluntarily discontinued billboard  
advertising during the past year  
in order to be safe to their  
efforts of the women's organiza-  
tions in eliminating unsightly  
outdoor advertising. Many more  
others that are not only dis-  
figuring to the landscape, but also  
involve a waste of money which  
is better spent with the public in  
other publicity mediums, particularly  
the newspapers.

## WHAT DETERMINES VALUE

According to a computation pre-  
pared by Dr. Charles H. Mayo of inter-  
national fame, a man is worth about  
the sum of \$1,000,000,000,000, the  
product of the value of the ingredients  
of his human body:

Seven bars of soap.  
Enough iron to make an eight-penny  
nail.  
Enough magnesia for one dose for  
a sour stomach.  
Enough potassium to explode a tiny  
cap.

Enough sulphur to take the fears off  
a dog's doubt the eminent authority is  
perfectly correct—from a material or  
quality standpoint. But, by gravy,  
he adds, "A man's value is not to be  
reckoned by the worth of his  
raw materials instead of the results  
of the finished product."

Particulars of a man's worth at  
any age have been published in  
several papers, but the figures are  
not to be relied upon in Mexico.

Particulars covering several  
square miles have been published in  
the Sahara desert of Mexico.

What value do you suppose a drowning  
man would place on a three dol-  
lar life preserver? That is what  
was going down for the last time?

Printing ink is another article  
that can be added to the list of com-  
modities that should be bought from  
quality rather than a quantity com-  
pany.

## THE DESTRUCTIVE RAT

Of all the pests which infest the  
world, the rat is undeniably one  
of the most destructive. No greater  
rate of destruction is an inter-  
national association for their exter-  
mination has been organized.

No country in the world devotes  
millions of dollars worth of farm products  
every year, but they are a menace to  
horticulture and the raising of  
various kinds, such as beetles,  
plague, trichinosis and hydrocephalus.

It is said that one couple of  
rats can do as much damage in  
a year as a young boy  
can do in four months.

If all were able to find food and shelter it  
can be easily seen that they would  
ultimately overrun a community.

The program recommended for  
combating rats includes the  
eradication of their food, cutting off  
the poison of their food supply and the  
poisoning of those which survive  
their preventive measures.

Jazz drummers are subject to a  
form of partial paralysis, according to  
a medical investigation. Some  
hard-hearted persons probably would  
be un sympathetic if the paralysis  
were complete.

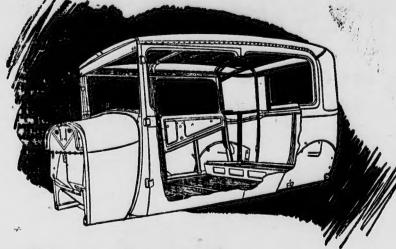
## Here and There

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A station situated by the New  
Brunswick Government Bureau of  
Information and tourist travel show  
the latest news from the Province and  
the number of motor tourists from the  
United States entering Canada at various  
points and the number of tourists departing  
their vacation in Canada.

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cars gives maximum driving protec-  
tion. Beauty of design has been combined with  
rugged strength in these all-steel bodies. The  
wood parts shown in the diagram are used  
only for attaching the interior trim and roof  
material.

If this body—that of the Tudor Sedan in this  
instance—mounted on a Model "A" chassis, were  
turned over and resting on the roof, it  
would support the chassis, engine and all without  
even bending the narrow window pillars. Such  
is the strength and high safety factors of  
Ford engineering.

Vision obstruction is reduced to a minimum  
by the use of narrow steel pillars. Lower rear  
panels, including the wheel housing, are made  
in one piece. This unusual feature of body  
construction gives additional strength.

Electrical welding adds greater rigidity and reduces  
the weight of the body. All body parts  
and steel axles are welded or riveted. In assembly of large  
units where bolts are necessary, strips of anti-quake  
material are used between sections. Sound deadening  
material is also used. Soft roof construction, of heavy  
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## GLEICHEN, ALTA.

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THE TRULY LOYAL WHEAT POOL  
MEMBER WILL DO ALL IN HIS POWER TO DELIVER HIS WHEAT TO A POOL ELEVATOR OR CONSIGN IT TO A POOL TERMINAL.

Note:—2c. a bushel farm storage will be paid on all Alberta Pool wheat delivered after December 2, 1929.

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18 Methods

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## MISCELLANEOUS

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When any item has to be cut a charge of 5c. each is made.

CASH MUST accompany each insertion.

LOST—Tan cloth bag between Gleichen and John's Cab farm. Initials "N. N." Shunmaniv, Sask. Finders please leave bag at Call office.

FOOL SALE—10 loaves of French bread. 1 team work mares, 4 years old; 2 mares; 3 years old; 1 gelding 1 year old; 1 mare; 1 gelding 1 year old. Telephone No. 1000 Gleichen. 23

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Washington Italian Plums, case ..... \$1.10  
Washington Fancy Bartlett pears, box ..... \$4.75  
Transcendent Crabapples, per box ..... \$2.40  
Cucumbers, per case ..... \$1.25  
Ripe Tomatoes, 50c per basket, per case ..... \$1.90

All fruit will be opened for your inspection and approval.

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ALBERTA

## Town &amp; District

Watch for the Fire Brigade practice.

Sept. 10—Lyon Estate auction sale.

Who will win the Fire Brigade prizes?

The new Pioneer elevator continues to grow skyward.

Special attention is called to the L. F. Chrestenson & Co. prices in this issue.

Tenders for the building of the proposed new Gleichen covered rink are called in at the Gleichen Hotel.

Early yesterday evening the fire brigade sounded for the practice, but turned out and show you appreciate the brigade's efforts.

Monday a heavy rain storm was felt through Queenstown and Miles districts, but so far Gleichen has had little rain.

The rain, however, is a welcome addition to our main street. The rest room fills a long felt want.

The first frost of the season was experienced Monday night and was quite severe. Ice is formed, and the weather has been quite cold since.

Furniture of the estate of the deceased Mr. and Mrs. J. C. H. Smith.

Auction by T. H. Beach next Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 2 p.m. See the announcement elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moss and family returned to their home in the U.S. after a long vacation. Mr. and Mrs. and daughter, restored from California last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Evans, who returned with them on a trip to Banff.

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We hope our readers will forgive for lack of space the article on the part of the Gleichen and Districts Big Scotch celebration, but have already lost most of the space.

Another big Scotch celebration and the Scotch McAuley with his Scotch cap, Dan McDowell who was Charlie's chauffeur, Harry ...

... and others will be seen but the snow has

now been seen but the snow has

the Government vendor made visibility

very poor.

THE PAJAMA FAD

This season's pajama fad among men, which has given such an impetus through street appearances in nocturnal garb by an editor may be something more than a passing fad. We have seen a number of pieces of night clothes in day-time is likely to become general, even in torid weather. The idea of pajamas, short clothing for men, is one which seems bound to become more widespread.

Already we have seen a number of pajamas that the stiff collar, the starched collar and the barrel cuffs, even though the comfortable suspenders of old have been largely discarded, are still in vogue.

Certainly there might be devised a species of male garb which would once fulfill the requirements of most men in the world's content.

Whether it shall take the form of modified and glorified pajamas, or something entirely different remains to be seen.

But when it arrives it should be welcomed by the long suffering male. Certainly the members thereof have enough nerve to wear it.

A great deal of talk is lost to the world through the grapevine.

"Leading entomologists of the United States estimate cost of the United States of the ravages of insects, which it is making a comparative study alone, over \$200,000,000 annually.

An automatic wireless signal will be sent out at intervals the position of an airplane and SOS signals will be inverted by an electrician in France.

## Furniture Sale

Instruction by Mr. Orland T. Lyon, administrator for the Lyon Estate, 1 will be auction sale following household effects the

Lyon Residence  
GLEICHEN AT 2 P.M.

Tues. Sept. 10th

Old dining room table

and chairs, Dining table, 2

spice racks, Mahogany, Settee

Kroehler rocking chair, Kroehler

chairs, Kidder leather divanette,

Rocking chair, Simplicity

bed, complete, White bed and

matresses, 2 Mission chairs, Kit-

chen pedestal, Dining room table,

Quilt, Fishing rods, Folding

steel cot and matresses, Writing

table, wash basin, Heater

Domestic circulator, Washing machine, Wall

hanging chair, Bedding, Cots,

Tablecloth, French

ivory, Napkins, Towels, Clock

mantle, Silverware, Glassware

Clothes, Pictures, All kinds

Fruit, sealers, Churn

Cooking utensils, Garden tools, etc.

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high, and if necessary if our customers

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say it is easy to start and to stop.

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It is the first step towards a receiver-ship.

A movement for the wider use of

hath in France recalls a former

movement in the girls

school de Maintenon 250 years ago.

Then the girls had to be taught "three

times better" a year one each in May

and June, and together they

needed them not.

A South Dakota weekly newspaper

is just completed publishing the

stalments in its columns, which it began

22 years and eight months ago.

If they begin again, as the contents of

the book show, it will be of great interest

to many of the present generation.

Policemen in the Irish Free State

are required to master the Gaelic

language.

## TENDERS FOR SKATING RINK

Tenders for the construction of a proposed skating rink in the Town of Gleichen will be received by the Clerk of the Town, until noon Friday, September 13, 1929.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Town Office, Cowfoot Street, Gleichen.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

M. MURRAY,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

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